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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 9, 2005, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on March 9, 2006. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include attached new sheets that replace drawings as noted.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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